IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION

Gerald Thompson,

Plaintiff(s),

Case Number: 1:14cv935

VS.

Judge Susan J. Dlott

Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction, et al.,

Defendant(s).

ORDER

This matter is before the Court pursuant to the Order of General Reference in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio Western Division to United States Magistrate Judge Stephanie K. Bowman. Pursuant to such reference, the Magistrate Judge reviewed the pleadings and filed with this Court on February 1, 2017 a Report and Recommendation (Doc. 79). Subsequently, the plaintiff filed objections to such Report and Recommendation (82) and the defendant filed a response to the objections (Doc. 83).

The Court has reviewed the comprehensive findings of the Magistrate Judge and considered de novo all of the filings in this matter. Upon consideration of the foregoing, the Court does determine that such Recommendation should be adopted.

Accordingly, defendants' motion for summary judgment (Doc. 69) is GRANTED. All other pending motions are DENIED as MOOT (Docs. 59 and 78). This case is hereby TERMINATED from the docket of this Court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/Susan J. Dlott___ Judge Susan J. Dlott **United States District Court**